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### **Nippon Paint Holdings Selected as a Constituent of FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index**

Nippon Paint Holdings Co., Ltd. (NPHD) has been selected as a constituent stock of the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index, developed by Global Index Provider FTSE Russel, is designed to measure the performance of Japanese companies that have relatively strong Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) practices in individual industries or sectors. This index is constructed so that industry or sector weights align with the Japanese equity market. In addition, this index supports the transition to a low carbon economy by selecting companies with high GHG emissions as constituent stocks only if they have achieved a reduction in GHG emissions based on the TPI Management Quality Score.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index is used by Japan's Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF) as a benchmark for passive ESG investment management.

NPHD will continue to take many actions involving materiality related to sustainability that is identified from a global perspective based on a structure that strengthens the link between sustainability initiatives and business operations.

#### **【Our sustainability website】**

Japanese: <https://www.nipponpaint-holdings.com/sustainability/>

English: <https://www.nipponpaint-holdings.com/en/sustainability/>

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